

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants	Dieter Lang, <i>et al.</i>
Application No. 10/626,414	Filing Date: July 24, 2003
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Examiner	Vy Q. Bui

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Response to Official Action

In response to the Official Action dated **January 28, 2009**, Applicants submit the following Amendment and Remarks.

Applicants believe that no fee is due in connection with the filing of this Amendment. However, if any fee is due please charge Deposit Account No. 19-4516.

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Remarks begin on page 5.